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PARIS IS NOW THREATENED A SECOND DISASTROUS DELUGE

River Seine Is Rising Again and Government Hydrographers Predict Water Equal to the Flood Level of 1882

Paris, Feb. 9.—The river Scine has cestors hunted for a living, contingisen nine inches here during the ued the professor. "It goes through twenty-four hours ending at noon to-day owing to yesterday's rain and melting snow The hydrographic de-partment predicts a continued rise until Friday, when it will reach a height of more than 22 feet at Port Royal and equal the flood level of twenty-four hours ending at noon to-

Although confident there is no danger of a repetition of the recent dis-aster, the authorities are taking thor-ough precautions. The level of the parapets at low places throughout the length of the city are being hasti-

raised by improvised dykes. The return of high water threatens to retard greatly the work of repair which is in progress. The waters, which had dropped below the mouths of the sewers, are again pouring into the conduits, drowning the electric light and power lines in the vicinity of the Place de l'Opera. While service has been resumed on

several sections of the subway, the management holds out no hope that the main line passing St. Lazare sta-

Halley's Comet May Snuff Out Life on the Earth

Berkeley, Cal., Feb. 9 .- "If the as fronomers are right in their estimathe tail of Halley's comet, and if that body's vapors do envelop the earth we may have a chance to feel the sen sations of the bugs and insects which are killed by the use of this deadly gas as an exterminator."

Such is the cheerful opinion expressed yesterday by Prof. Edwin Booth of the department of chemis-try at the University of California, and a well known expert on spectrum

We'll all be snuffed out, he said, if a sufficient quantity of this cyano-gen gas unites with the hydrogen of

this planet's atmosphere."

Their union," he continued, "would form the deadly gas known as hydrocyanic acid, the most deadly poison known to science and which means death for all animals."

Prof. Burckhalter of the Chabot observatory, Oakland, maintains on the other hand that there is very little earth's peoples have nothing to fear,

SPECTACULAR FIRE IN A BOSTON FACTORY

Boston, Feb. 9.—A spectacular fire, which lighted up the country for miles around and necessitated ringing in four alarms early thim morning, destroyed the six story manufacturing plant of the New England Rendering ompany and an immense cattle shed of the Armour company at Brighton abbattoir. The loss is estimated at

The fire started in the glue factory of the rendering company and quick-ly swept through the building, fed by the great store of inflammable products. Fearing the fire would spread to nearby cattle sheds of of Armour Packing company, which are valued at half a million dollars, three additional alarms were turned in.
The cattle in the sheds were turned e and 400 head were soon running fild up and down the yards, impeding the work of firemen, who, however, managed to confine the blaze to one cattle shed. Officials of the renderag company stated that the loss on their plant would be fully \$700,000 as hie machinery was very valuable and there was a large stock of goods on hand. The loss on the cattle sheds given as \$50,000. The cause of the fire has not been determined.

CHINA WILL BE THE MOST POWERFUL NATION

New York, Feb. 9.-The California Spriety of New York held its seventh St Regis. The principal speaker was James F. J. Archibald, who has spent several years in China since he left San Francisco. He told his fellow Call ornians that the people of the coas states do not understand the Chindse or realize the importance of China He said that China once she found herself, would prove a more power ul nation than the United States. One hundred and fifty "exfles were present.

YOUNG BOYS SHOULD BE TAUGHT TO FIGHT Madison, Wis., Feb. 9.—To teach a ten-year-old boy to fight is sometimes the best solution of certain problems in connection with his education said Prof. M. V. O'Shea of the University of Wisconsin, in a lecture on "Child Psychology" yesterday.

"The kitten plays because its an-

ued the professor. "It goes through all the motions of stalking and catch-

is allowed to develop his savage in-stincts at an early age, the inner in-stincts which do not come until later

will not develop to their best,
"The most esthetic and intellectual
persons are those who in early life
were the wildest children. Statistics prove it. Every home should provide for savage as well as civilized
life."

ON BIG BUYING ORDERS

New York, Feb. 9 .- A congestion of buying orders caused violent advances in the opening prices of stocks today, Amalgamated Copper started 2 5-8 higher than last night's closing prices, Great Northern, pfd., 2 1-2; Chesapeake and Ohio 2 3-8; Southern Pacific, Reading and American Smelt-ing 2 1-4, Union Pacific, Rock Island and New York Central 2, United States Steel pfd., 1 5-8, Atchison and Consolidated Gas 1 3-8; St. Paul. Denver & Rio Grande, Baltimore and Ohio, Northern Pacific, and Canadian Pacific 1 1-4 to 1 1-2. There were 10, 600 shares of U. S. Steel sold at 76 1-2 to 76 7-8, with following sales at 77

compared with 75 last night. Realizing sales made only a slight impression on prices and after an in-terval of quiet, the market started up briskly again, rising fractionally above the opening price. Union Pa-cific's gain reached 3, Chesapeake & Ohio 3 1-8, Great Northern Ore Ctfs.

There were fractional additions to the advance before profit taking sales took weight enough to carry prices

Selling was not followed at the decline and the market came to a rest.

Chicago, Feb. 9.—Cattle—Receipts estimated at 13,000; market 10c higher. Beeves, \$4.40@7.75; Texas steers, \$4.00@5.10; western steers, \$4.15@6.00; stockers and feeders, \$3.15@ 5.50; cows and helfers, \$2.25@5.80; calves, \$7.00@9.25.

Hogs—Receipts estimated at 28,000; market steady Light, \$8.30@ 8.70; mixed, \$8.35@8.80; heavy, \$8.35@8.85; rough, \$8.45@8.85; good to choice heavy, \$8.35@8.85; pigs, \$7.30 @8.20; bulk of sales, \$8.65@8.75. Sheep-Receipts estimated at 18,-

000; market 10c lower. Native, \$4.50 @6.50; western, \$4.50@6.75; year-lings, \$7.15@8.40; lambs, native, \$6.75 @8.90; western, \$6.75@8.90.

Omaha Livestock

Omaha, Feb. 9.—Cattle—Receipts 4,500; strong to 10c higher. Native steers \$4.25a7.25; cows and helfers \$3.25a5.25; western steers \$3.40a6. 10; cows and helfers \$2.85a4.65; can ners \$2.25a3.25; stockers and feeders \$3.00a5.40; calves \$4.00a8.25; bulls, stags, etc., \$2.00a5.10. Hogs—Receipts 11,500; market steady. Heavy \$8.50a8.65; mixed \$8.-40a8.50; light \$8.30a8.50; pigs \$7.50

a8.00; bulk of sales \$8.30a8.50. Sheep—Receipts 7,500; market rong. Yearlings \$6,75a7.75; weth-res \$5,75a6,75; ewes \$5,25a8,25; strong. Yearlings ers \$5.75a6.75; lambs \$8.25a8.85.

Chicago Close.

Chicago, Feb. 9.—Close—Wheat, May, 1.10 1-8; July, 1.00 7-8a1.01; Sept. 96 5-8a3-4. Corn-May, 65 5-8; July, 65 7-8; Sept. 66 1-8. Oats-May, 46 1-4a3-8; July 43 3-8a

1-2; Sept 40 3-8a1-2. Pork—May, 22.42; July 12.20. Rlbs-May 11.85a87 1-2; July, 11.82

Chicago Produce. Chicago, Feb. 9.—Butter—Steady to trong; creameries, 25@28c; dairies,

Eggs-Steady: receipts, 6,353; at mark, cases, included, 17@23c; firsts, prime firsts, 26c. Cheese—Ensy; Dairies. 63-4@17c; twins, 161-2@163-4c; young Americas. 161-2@@163-4c; long horns, cas, 16 1-246, 16 1-2@16 3-4c.

Sugar Market.

New York. Feb. 3.—Sugar—Raw, quiet; Muscavado, 89 test, 83.64; centrifugal, 96 test, \$4.14; molasses sugar, 89 test, \$3.39. Refined, steady.

THE ANTHRACITE REGIONS Washington, Feb 9.—The National Geographic society, which resolved at a meeting here yesterday to send an American expedition in search of the South Pole, confidently expects ample

financial assistanc from outside sources to warrant the exploration.

It is the plan of the society that the expedition be headed by Captain Bartiett who commanded the Personal lett, who commanded the Roosevelt Commander Peary's successful 000000000000000

made in the Roosevelt, already prac tically equipped for such an undertaking and that the start be made from Goats Island. This is on the opposite side of the Antarctic region which is to be explored by a British expedition under command of Captain Robert F. Scott R N

Scott, R. N.
Directors of the Geographic Society believe financial assistance will be forthcoming in time to begin the exploration not later than September

Four Million Acres Are Thrown Out of Forest Service

Washington, Feb. 9-More than four million acres of public lands which were included in the forest domain were thrown out today and will be available for homestead settlement by the action of President Taft when he approves the plans for the reclassifi-cation of forest lands which were formulated by Gifford Pinchot.

It has been found that millions of

acres of land which were tillable, were being held back unintentionally in the forest domain. In the state of Idaho, more than 400,000 acres were so included. The plans of the elimination of those lands were formed by Mr. Pin-

The elimination is not yet complete and three-tenths of the total public forests are yet to be re-classified. It is impossible to estimate how much more land will be available for settlement when the re-classification

chot and started last summer.

is complete.

PATHETIC CASE BEFORE COURT OF INSANITY

Salt Lake, Feb. 9 .- One of the most pathetic cases ever before a lunacy commission was that of Mrs. Eva M. Sykes, who was examined as to her sanity at the county jail, Tuesday, by Judge Lewis, and committed to the state mental hospital. Mrs. Sykes is one of the most violent persons ever examined for insanity in this county, and for several days it has been neces-sary to keep a very close watch over

Trouble in her family seems to have been the cause of her condition. It developed that she had been married three times, and that two of her hus-

hands met violent deaths.

Her father, Dr. C. H. Patrick, of
New York was brutally murdered and
several other relatives have died through accident and violence

Her daughter, Mary, is now on trial in Nevada, charged with the murder of her husband. Mrs. Sykes has been in the mental hospital on two previous occasions, but it is feared that her present condition is hopeless.

CHINA AND JAPAN AGREE ON POSTAL RULES

Pekin, Feb. 9 .- The governments of China and Japan today signed a pos-tal working agreement on the basis of the Postal Union rules. The agreement affects Manchuria chiefly. China, by its terms, recognizes its monopoly of mail-carrying on its own railway, together with equal rights over the apanese railroad. China recognizes all of the Japanese treaty port postoffices and also six exchange offices in the trade marts of Manchuria. Provision is made for relations with other Japanese postoffices in Man-churia in connection with local conditions. China considers the agreement advantageous. It will become fective April 1.

TRIAL OF DR. FRITCH FOR DEATH OF MISS MILLMAN

Detroit, Feb. 9.-After nearly week passed in getting a jury the trial of Dr. Geo. O. Fritch, charged with manslaughter in connection with the death of Maybelle Millman of

ber. The prosecution's strongest witness is said to be Thomas Leech, a chauffeur, who has testified that he drove Dr. Fritch to Ecorse creek at midnight and waited in an automobile while three sacks which the doc-tor had brought from his house were thrown into the water.

000000000000000 O CASE FILED TO TEST O CORPORATION TAX.

Washington, Feb. 9.-Two more corporation tax cases were filed in the supreme court of the United States yesterday making ten suits now before the court involving the question of the constitutionality of the corporation tax provision of the

Seven of the corporation tax cases have been set for argument on March 14.

GOV. HASKELL TESTIFIES

defense, before the legislative investigation committee that met this morning to consider the merits of the charges contained in a resolution introduced in the legislature recently to the effect that the governor and other state officers were responsible for alleged irregularities in the expending of public funds.

DOUBLE MURDER AND SUICIDE IN CLEVELAND

Cleveland, Feb. 9.—The bodies of three persons were found in a vacant house on Riverbed avenue this morn-

The police believe it is a double murder and suicide. Two of the dead were identified as John Janowsky, and his wife.

MINE OWNERS CLAIM THEY CANNOT PAY HIGHER WAGES

Pittsburg, Pa. Feb. 9.—"We have reached the limit in paying the min-ers. Higher wages are simply im-possible. We cannot give what we have not got, and I for one am ready to submit the matter to en impartial

This was the comment of President This was the comment of President H. A. Kuhn, of the Pittsburg & West Moreland Coal company, when he read the statement of Thos. L. Lewis, of the miners' union. Mr. Kuhn further says that during the panic the operators kept the men at work at the prevailing wage scale, yet the West. West Virginia operators through their miners being unorganized were able to under sell Pennsylvania and Ohio operators, even in their own states.

"If they are able to do this now what will they do with another in-crease in the cost of production add-ed to the high cost already?"

RESISTING THE GATHERING IN OF INDEPENDENT COMPANIES

New York, Feb. 9—A group of determined lawyers from the aggressive states of Missouri and Ohio, have just reached New York prepared to tackle what they term the telephone trust: in its strictly legal form, the case at issue is based on the suit of stock-holders in the United States Telephone company and the Cuyahoga Telephone company, who obtained in the state courts at Cleveland an injunction re-straining the transfer and delivery of straining the transfer and delivery of stock in those independent companies brought a few months ago by J. P. Morgan & Co. The lawyers came to New York to take depositions. The states, which they represent, take the position that they must be shown that the purchase by Mr. Morgan of six the lephane companies to China. telephone companies in Ohio and Indiana was strictly for himself and not

for the Bell interests. The legal array includes Thomas Harlan of St. Louis, Samuel B. Jefi-reys, of St. Louis, and H. D. McGray of Cleveland, and John B. Hestetter, representing the attorney general of Missouri. Representing the Bell interests are S. H. Tolles of Cleveland, Clarence Brown of Toledo and Geo.

Money in the World, Says Norton

New York, Feb. 9.—Pease Norton, professor of political economy at Yale university, who believes that the in-creased production of gold and its consequent cheapening is responsible for high prices, is convinced that the only premanent remedy for the evil is the adoption of a new standard of money to supplant the gold dollar. He makes this suggestion in a statement just it-

Prof. Norton proposes a new unit of exchange, which he calls the "dill" This, he says, would be an imaginary unit whose value would be equal to purchasing power of certain specquantities of staple commodities designated in federal law. His plans include also a central bank which would issue on demand to banks and licensed storehouses, "dill" credit notes to the extent o ten per-cent of the value of gold, silver or commodities on hand.

COTTON INDUSTRY GROWING IN IMPERIAL VALLEY

the death of Maybelle Millman or Ann Arbor, was begun here today before Judge Phelan.

Miss Millman's dismembered body \$500,000 to finance the planting, cultivation and harvesting of this year's trivation and harvesting of this year's continuous continuous forms. cotton crop in the Imperial valley. It is believed that the land devoted to cotton this season will exceed 50,000

Gins will be scattered throughout the valley and a compressor, an oil mill and a refinery bullt at Et Cen-

The cotton industry in the Imperial valley has grown so rapidly in the last two years that it is now regard-ed as one of the most important in southern California. Profits from last season's crop, which was large-ly experimental, are estimated to have been close to \$50 an acre.

MONEY IN FOOTBALL

Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 9 —Football made \$11,515 for the Cornell Athletic As-sociation last fall, according to a financial statement given out by Grad uate Manager Dugan
The total receipts were \$30,400 and the disbursements \$18,885.

FRAUDS TO BE INVESTIGATED

KELL TESTIFIES
IN HIS OWN DEFENSE. Steamboat Springs, Colo., Feb. 9.—
Through an investigation begun here Guthrie, Okia., Feb. 9. oGvernor Charles N Haskell testified in his own ; government is believed to be prepar-

DEATH OF COL. SWOPE, MILLIONAIRE Coroner's Jury, After An Hour's Deliberation,

ing for a fight to prevent the com pletion of patent on nearly 2,000 acres of land in this state said to contain valuable coal deposits. It is said the government will issue patents to the land with restrictions as to coal and mineral authorized by a recent enactment of this law and therefore holds that he should not be amenable to lat er restrictions

The land affected is said to be underlaid with coal veins varying in thickness from 6 to 12 feet.

Government Right to Tax Water Power Is Questioned

Denver, Col., Feb. 9 .- Under a law enacted by the last state legislature Attorney General Barnett is preparing to test in court the right of the government forestry service to collect conservation charges from power and others using the water of mountain streams for power purposes. The atorney general contends that if the government has a right to make such charges, it has an equal right to charge farmers for use of water for irriga-tion. He further contends the regula-tion of streams is vested solely in the the direction of Dr. B. C. Hyde, wheth-

New York, Feb. 9 .- Having read a newspaper account of a silver half dollar of the Confederate states, said to be worth \$5,000, as the only metal coin of the Confederacy now in exist-ence, S. I. Heller, a New York businessman, went rumaging through an old bureau in his home and brought out a duplicate. The coin, he recollected, had been given to him many years ago by an old soldler, for whom he had done some triuing service.

Mr. Heller took the coin to a dealer,

who offered him \$50 for it.
"No," said Mr. Heller: "if it is worth \$50 it must be worth more. His dream of sudden wealth was urdely shattered, however, when he submitted his silver piece to the experts of the Numismatic club. The told him that the coin was undoubtedly a reproduction or restrike.

STILL TRACING A CLUE IN MURDER MYSTERY

ferred to as "Duichy" and identified by a local manicurist as the victim of There Is Too Much Mount Tamalpais murder invitery, has proved to be Mrs. Albert Koch, formerly Miss Claudine Duhrsen, of The police are as far from a solu-

tion of the case as ever. They hope ultimately to identify the body through markings on the watch which was found near the victim's remains. Frank Wansky, a jeweler in Eureka, in the northern part of the st promises belp in this connection. Wansky has written the police that he is certain he repaired the watch and that he knows the name of the rian who brought it to him. fort will be made to secure a detailed statement from Wansky today

ORDINANCE HE CLAIMS IS A VIOLATION OF CONSTITUTION Washington, Feb. 9—Direct from ne superior court for the county of

Los Angeles to the supreme court of bent of the United States, J. L. Murphy of The South Pasadena, Cal., has brought quiet suit to test the validity of an ordin-ance of South Pasadena. Murhy was convicted on a charge of opening and keeping a pool room. He claims the ordinance is in violation of the constitution of the United States.

NEWARK POLICE SEARCHING FOR BOLD HOLDUPS Newark, N. J., Feb. 9.—The Newark

police are searching for a gang of footpads who have been operating extensively in the residence part of the city for a fortnight. Their latest victim was Mrs. James Johnston, wife of the National league umpire. She was attacked last night while returning from a shipping trip and robbed of a handbag containing \$150 in money

Measure Passed the Senate and Will Pass the House

Washington, Feb. 9.-A bill making Commander Robert E. Peary, U. S. N., discoverer of the North Pole, a rear admiral, was passed by the senate to-

Indications are that the measure will also receive the approval of the

Decide That Strychnine Was Administered in the Capsule Left by the Doctor

Kansas City, Feb. 9.—"Col. Swope rule apply as with all witnesses," he ame to his death by reason of strych. came to his death by reason of strychnine administered in a capsule by Dr. B. C. Hyde, but whether by felonious jutent or not, we, the jury, are unable to say."

DR. HYDE HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR

This verdict was rendered at 1 o'clock this afternoon by the coroner's jury at Independence, after being

It lacked just a few minutes of being an hour after the end of the inquest when it was announced that the jury was ready to report. After the six jurors had taken their seats, Coroner Zwart asked:

"Gentlemen, have you arrived at a verdict?"

"We have," replied Samuel H. Woodson, the foreman, who thereupon read the document.

"We, the coroner's jury," he read, "summoned urgently to inquire by what means Thomas H. Swope came to his death, from the evidence adduced before us and from our knowledge, that said deceased came to his death by strychnine poisoning, and we believe said strychnine poison was administered in a capsule at 8:30 er with felonious intent, we, the jury, are unable to decide."

DREAM OF SUDDEN WEALTH
IS RUDELY DISPELLED Dr. Hyde involuntarily to start forward in his chair.

Turning to John M. Cleary, or his attorneys, Dr. Hyde asked: "What does that mean?"

Mr. Cleary explained that the jury was unable to determine from the evidence presented whether there was

ony intent to kill or not. Dr. Hyde nodded.

"I see," he said. That was all the Dr. Hyde and his attorneys soon were walking down the street on their way to luncheon. A crowd of several hundred persons followed, talking of the case and predicting what the fu-

ture steps might be. the verdict Prosecutor Conk ling said he had nothing to say at this time as to the course of his office.

Kansas City, Feb. 9-In to the superlative of intensity went the Swope in-quets today, into the darkness of con-jecture and mystery was again car-ried the death of Col. Thomas Swope. For Dr. B. C. Hyde, physician to Col. Swope, on the day he died, prescriber of a digestive capsule which preceded death only a short while, refused to testify to the coroner's jury and re-

fused even to be sworn.

which the eyes of jurymen, spectators, witnesses and even the stenographers forgot everything else except to direct their attention to the figures which may determine an arrest in the case of the death of Col. Swope— Frank P. Walsh, Hyde's attorney, Dr. P. Zwart county coroner; Virgil B. F. Zwart, county coroner; Conkling, prosecuting attorne Jackson county and Dr. Hyde.

The morning session barely had begun when Dr. Zwart looked at a piece of paper upon which he carried the list of witnesses. His lips were just beginning to frame the name of Dr. Hyde when Attorney Walsh arose and bent over the table. The court room became suddenly

The attorneys for Dr. Hyde have advised him not to testily." Mr. Walsh said, "we don't care for him to testify here, and, therefore, at our suggestion he must decline to be

Another man was standing close by at this time, and in his hand there was a copy of a newspaper, the pages of which were being rapidly turned to a certain place. The man was Virgil Conkling, prosecuting attorney. He, too, spoke his words slowly, with pre-cision and almost coolness.

"I have here a copy of a newspaper of Feb. 1." he began. "It contains a signed statement by Dr. B. C. Hyde nad in the light of his refusal to testify. I desire to—"

There was an interruption from Mr. Walsh, and this time the slowness of the speech of the attorney was gone.
"If this is done for the purpose of publication," he almost shouted, "I—" Dr. Zwart was on his feet and be-ween the two men and for a moment he and Mr. Conkling conversed in a

"I must insist upon it," Dr. Zwart said to Mr. Conkling, and just what the conversation was about, the audience did not know. Soon there came

the explanation.
"Certainly, I'll see you privately,"
Mr. Conkling said, and together they left the room. When the coroner and the prosecut

ing attorney returned, Dr. Zwart said: "I still hold that the coroner has the right to examine witnesses and that Dr. Hyde was subpoenzed in the regular way, and is, therefore, entitled to testify."
"I stated before that on the advice

of counsel, Dr. Hyde refuses to be sworn to testify," promptly replied Attorney Walsh, "and since that—" There had come another interruption by Prosecuting Attorney Conk-

The prosecutor asks that the same 0000000000000000

"We retuse to allow the witness to testify," insisted Walsh. "The coroner insists," Dr. Zwart

answered hastily "Counsel refuses to allow the wit ness to testify.'
Dr. Zwart sat down. Then Virgi!

Conkling, still with the newspaper copy of Dr. Hyde's statement in his hand, the statement in which Hyde said that he was ready and willing to testify at any inquiry, that he was eager for an investigation, and anxious that the mystery of Col. Swope's death be cleared up, looked at Dr. Hyde, at the attorneys and at the spectators. His voice became

Then," he said, "that is sufficient Then, he said, that is sufficient for the purpose of the prosecutor."
This ended the incident and Dr. W. Gayle, a Kansas City physician, was called to give expert testimony on the affects of strychnine upon the human and the symptoms accomsystem and the symptoms accom-panying poison by that method. During a short recess, Mr. Walsh,

attorney for Dr. Hyde said he had no statement to make regarding his reason for refusing to allow Dr. Hyde testify.
"I made a statement in the court room," he said, "and that is suffici-ent for the present. I may have t statement to make later, but not now.

Later Frank P. Walsh made the fol-

lowing statement:
"The evidence in the investigation by the state before the coroner's jury as to the death of Col. Swope was not such as to impress counsel for Dr. Hyde with the belief that anthing of a substantial nature has been shown tending to discredit his statement heretofore made that he is neither responsible by act nor design for the death of Col. Swope; or that the death resulted from other than natural causes. The statement of the experts employed by Mrs. Swope were so at variance with one another, that no reasonble conclusion could be drawn therefrom.

"Counsel for Hyde, therefore, re-fused to permit him to be sworn as a witness, accepting full responsibility therefor with the assurance to the public that a complete investigation would result in the exoneration of Dr. Hyde from all blame in the matter." At the request of the coroner's jury, Miss Kellar, the nurse, again took the stand and detailed that part of her story of yesterday in which she had described the condition of Col Swope from the time he had taken the can

sule given her by Dr. Hyde until he

dled.

Miss Kellar described the first con-vulsion experienced by Col. Swope. "Then," she continued, "after he had turned his head from the window, The scene lasted only a few mom- his eyes were fixed. He went into ents. In that time, more excitement this quivering motion I told about occurred than for two days. It was a space of time in which there was a terrible motion over the pulses beat with excitement and in whole body and he was making a which the eyes of jurymen, spectators, sound, not with his mouth open, but evidently, with his teeth clenched, somewhat of a kind of a grind with the mouth tightly closed. the sound at the same time he made this motion. I suppose that convul-sion lasted ten minutes. His arms were raised and his hands clenched

tightly."
"Did anything exude from the "Yes, sir; his teeth, as I say, were tightly clenched, and I could see that there was a tenacious ropy substance, which I had a great deal of trouble in getting away. I continued washing that out for some time during the

0000000000000000 POPE PIUS ON THE FAIRBANKS INCIDENT. O

convulsion.

Rome, Feb. 9 .- The Pope today personally considered the recent incident involving former Vice President Fairbanks who was refused a private audience by the Vatican because he insisted upon keeping an earlier engagement to address

the Methodist society here. His Holiness said that he regretted that he had been unable to receive Mr. Fairbanks, but that he could not depart from the policy adopted, as to do so would appear to give recognition to the disloyal in-terference by certain Protestant denominations.

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O SECRETARY BALLINGER WITHDRAWS LAND

Washington, Feb. 9.—Secretary Ballinger today withdrew from public entry mere lands supposed to possess valuable water power sites or deposits of minerals.

More than 16,000 acres along the Breneau river in Idaho and about 28,000 acres along the

Salmon river in Idaho and Nevada were withdrawn temporarily in aid of proposed legislation to affect water power

The secretary also withdrew more than a half million acres in Wyoming supposed to con-tain valuable coal deposits.